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Fine Imported Holland Bulbs

at 1932 Subnormal Prices



The rare and interesting Botanical Tulip Cornuta Stenopetala

5% Discount For Orders Received Before August 1st

The Cottage Gardens Lansing, Michigan



We offer in this List

the outstanding standard and new varieties of Holland Bulbs. The prices, as you will notice, are subnormal. We send out Motherbulbs, the highest grade grown.

Gorgeous Darwin Tulips TALL STEMS; CLEAR SHADES

| Per Doz. | Per 100 |
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| .50 | 3.50 |
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| 1.75 | 14.00 |
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| .40 | 2.75 |
| | .55 .65 .45 .60 .50 .70 .65 .60 .50 .45 .60 .50 .85 |

100 Fine Darwin Tulips in 10 Separate Varieties

10 Bulbs each, 10 harmonizing shades Guaranteed to be our regular top-size bulbs

\$2.95 Prepaid

Pastel Shades WITH THE

Breeder Tulips

TALL AND MAJESTIC

| BACCHUS, dark violet blue | Per Doz. | |
|---|----------|------|
| CHESTNUT, velvety brown, edged golden-brown | .60 | 4.25 |
| DON PEDRO, morocco red, inside mahogany | . 60 | 4.25 |
| FAIRY (PANORAMA) mahogany with orange glow | | 3.25 |
| GOLDEN BRONZE, old gold, shaded bronze | | 4.75 |
| GODET PARFAIT, bright purple- violet, large | .70 | 4.75 |
| Louis XIV bronze with broad margin of a dark, bluish violet, shaded gold. Tall, straight stems. | .55 | 3.75 |
| LUCIFER, bright terra-cotta orange; enormous flower | .70 | 5.00 |
| MRS. BEECHER STOWE, clear plumblue | 1.25 | 9.50 |
| PINK PEARL, carmine-rose, white base | 1.20 | 8.00 |
| PRINCE OF ORANGE, terra-cotta edged orange | .75 | 5.00 |
| ST. JAMES, dark bluish lilac, edged bronze | .50 | 3.75 |
| VULCAIN, reddish apricot, edged buff- yellow | .75 | 5.50 |
| YELLOW PERFECTION, light bronze yellow | .60 | 4.00 |
| COTTAGE GARDENS BREEDER TULIP MIXTURE | .50 | 3.40 |

Special Collections

FINE BREEDERS Gay Cottage Tulips in 10 varieties named in 10 named varieties

\$3.75 PREPAID PREPAID



Our Tulips in the Garden of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harper

Single Early Tulips

In bloom before the Tall-stemmed varieties. They give brilliant color effects and we recommend planting some of these varieties, especially General De Wet. Fine for indoor forcing.

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| COULEUR CARDINAL, cardinal red | .60 | 4.25 |
| FRED MOORE, terra-cotta, flushed orange | .60 | 4.25 |
| GENERAL DE WET, beautiful soft | | 4.20 |
| orange | .70 | 5.25 |
| HOBBEMA (La Reve) old rose flushed | | |
| buff | | 4.50 |
| KEIZERSKROON, scarlet with yellow border | .65 | 4.50 |
| MAX HAVELAAR, blood orange, very | | |
| beautiful color | . 75 | 5.00 |
| PINK BEAUTY, deep rose, flushed white | . 75 | 5.00 |
| PRINCE OF AUSTRIA, bright orange | | 3.00 |
| scarlet | | 3.60 |
| RISING SUN, deep golden yellow, fine | | |
| flower | .65 | 4.50 |
| WHITE SWAN, pure white, egg- shaped flower | .60 | 4.00 |
| COTTAGE GARDENS MIXTURE OF | | 1.00 |
| SINGLE EARLY TULIPS | .50 | 3.25 |
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Double Early Tulips

Use in formal design or in massing; for early color in your garden

| In separate varieties: Red Rose, Pink | dozen | 100 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|------|
| White, Yellow | . 65 | 4.50 |
| MIXTURE of fine varieties | .55 | 3.50 |

Old English Cottage Tulips

All imaginable colors come in this class. Long stems, lovely form of flower. Plant in drifts be-tween Shrubs and Evergreens. These Tulips can be left in the ground for many years.

| | Per Doz. | Per 100 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| AVIS KENNICOTT, large chrome | | |
| yellow | .75 | 5.00 |
| BRIGHTNESS, (New) brilliant scarlet | | |
| with rosy glow | 1.00 | 6.95 |
| ELLEN WILLMOTT, light yellow | .75 | 5.00 |
| GRENADIER, dazzling orange, large | | |
| flower | | 4.00 |
| INGLESCOMBE SCARLET, bright | | |
| scarlet | .55 | 4.00 |
| INGLESCOMBE YELLOW, pure | | |
| yellow | .50 | 3.50 |
| JOHN RUSKIN, salmon-rose, edged | | |
| lemon-yellow | . 60 | 4.00 |
| MOONLIGHT, soft canary yellow | . 60 | 4.00 |
| MRS. MOON, rich golden yellow | .60 | 4.50 |
| PICOTEE, clear white, margined | | |
| bright pink | . 50 | 3.75 |
| COTTAGE GARDENS MIXTURE OF | | |
| COTTAGE TULIPS | .40 | 2.75 |
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New Hybrid Tulips

| IMMENSE FLOWERS ON TALL | STEM | S |
|---|------|-------|
| ALBINO, pure white, large flower | . 95 | 7.50 |
| AMBROSIA, amber with a rosy glow | .75 | 5.50 |
| ARETHUSA, soft yellow, large flower | .85 | 6.00 |
| DIDO, salmon-orange, shaded cerise, margined yellow | .85 | 6.00 |
| GRAND YELLOW, large deep yellow, very tall | 1.60 | 12.00 |
| MARJORIE BOWEN, rosy salmontinged orange | 2.80 | 22.00 |
| MISS BLANCHE, pure white | .75 | 5.00 |
| ROSABELLA, soft pink, center cream white | .70 | 4.95 |
| SULPHUR QUEEN, soft sulphur yellow | . 95 | 6.75 |

Catalog of other Specialties

Our 1932 Book of Modern Peonies, Chinese Flowering Crab Apples, Japanese Rose-flowering Cherries, French Hybrid Lilacs, and other rare and new Plants may be had free on request.

----Parrot Tulip----"FANTASY"

The same lovely salmon-pink of Clara Butt, but the flower petals are laciniated as in Parrot Tulips. Tall, straight stems, immense flower. The sensational novelty Tulip.

50c per three; \$1.85 per doz.; \$12.00 per 1.00

PARROT TULIPS, Mixed 60c doz; \$4.00 per 100

Botanical Tulips

FOR ROCK GARDENS AND BORDERS, FOR EXOTIC EFFECTS

Per Doz. Per 100

| • | ter Doz. | 1 61 100 |
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| CLUSIANA (The Lady Tulip) outside cherry-red, inside creamy-white. Plant 6 to 9 inches deep in light soil | | |
| in warm sheltered location | .70 | 5.50 |
| CORNUTA STENOPETALA, laciniated flowers on stiff 18 inch stems; | • | |
| scarlet pointed gold | 1.75 | 12.00 |
| EICHLERI, immense crimson scarlet, glistening black center marked with gold. 11 in. high | .75 | 5.50 |
| GREIGI, enormous flower of perfect and unusual form of a brilliant and still not shrieking scarlet orange. | | |
| 10 inch. | 2.75 | 20.00 |
| kAUFMANNIANA, large creamy yellow, brilliantly marked carmine, yellow center. 6 inch | .70 | 5.25 |
| PERSICA, charming in Rockery, 3 to 4 inches high, fragrant star-shaped | | |
| yellow flowers with bronze exterior | 3.65 | 30.00 |
| VIRIDIFLORA, green. 18 inches high | . 95 | 6.75 |

Hyacinths (Imported)

Plant in well-drained locations, 6 inches deep. We offer the ideal size for out-door planting, 17-18 cm. size. Equally suitable for indoor forcing.

BISMARCK, light blue.
CITY OF HAARLEM, soft yellow.
GRAND MAITRE, porcelain blue, very deep color.
LADY DERBY, clear rose-pink, very beautiful.
LA VICTOIRE, deep carmine-rose, almost red.
L'INNOCENCE, pure white.
MARCONI, bright rose, sparkling color.

1.20 per doz; 8.75 per 100

Miscellaneous Spring-Flowering Bulbs

FOR ROCKERY AND BORDER

| CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow) Plant 3 inches deep. Grows 3 to 4 inches high. |
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| LUCILIAE, white center merging to blue |
| ERANTHIS HYEMALIS (Winter Aconite). Plant in close groups; bloom early (with Crocus) 3 inches high, rich yellow. Plant 2 inches deep in shade or semi-shade, about 18 bulbs to a square foot |
| SNOWDROPS (Galanthus) First of all spring flowering Bulbs, plant 2 inches deep. Mulch in winter. SINGLE |
| GRAPE HYACINTHS (Muscari Botryoides) Heavenly Blue. The finest of all Grape Hyacinths for mass planting. Very effective in rockery when planted with Arabis Alpinus. Flowers 6 inches tall. Plant 5 inches deep. per 1000, \$25.00 |
| SCILLA—BLUE BELLS. Bloom with the Crocus. Plant 3 inches deep. |
| Siberica, BLUE 50 3.50 30.00 Siberica, WHITE .75 5.25 45.00 CAMPANULATA ALBA, 47 2.27 20.00 |
| CAMPANULATA ROSEA, |
| rose |
| The Gay Crocus |

IN TOP-SIZE QUALITY

What is spring without lots and lots of these early spring flowering bulbs? Plant in drifts in the border, the lawn, between shrubs and trees. Splendid almost anywhere.

| annost anywhere. | Doz. | 100 | 1000 |
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| COTTAGE GARDEN'S ALL | | | |
| COLOR, mixture of Mammoth | | | |
| Crocus. You will be amazed | | | |
| at the unusual size and beauty | | | |
| of our crocus. Mixture in- | | | |
| cludes yellow, white, blue, | | | |
| striped and purple | . 30 | 2.00 | 16.00 |
| MAMMOTH YELLOW, very | | | |
| large yellow flowers | .50 | 3.25 | 27.50 |
| MAXIMILIAN, beautiful sky | | | |
| blue | .40 | 2.50 | 22.50 |
| MONT BLANC, pure white | .40 | 2.50 | 22.50 |
| PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA. | | | |
| large purplish-violet | .55 | 4.00 | 37.50 |
| Tange Parking Violet | - 50 | 2.00 | |

Narcissi (Daffodils)

(Grown in Michigan)
Plant in drifts in the Border, between Evergreens, Shrubs, etc.

| Per Doz. Per 10 | |
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| TRUMPET DAFFODILS, trumpet as long or longe | r |
| than perianth. | |
| EMPEROR, perianth primrose, | _ |
| trumpet yellow 1.25 9.7 | 5 |
| GLORY OF SASSENHEIM, sul- | |
| phur white perianth, trumpet gold- en yellow, large flower | |
| en yellow, large flower 1.90 15.0 | 0 |
| KING ALFRED, very large golden | |
| vellow 1.95 16.0 | 0 |
| VON SION, double trumpet, deep | |
| yellow 1.20 9.5 | 0 |
| INCOMPARABILIS, cup measuring from 1/3 t | _ |
| nearly the length of the perianth segments. | U |
| LUCIFER, white perianth, glowing | |
| orange-red cun 95 7 9 | 5 |
| orange-red cup | 9 |
| anth; deep yellow cup 1.15 8.7 | 5 |
| | |
| BARRI, short cupped, less than 1/3 the length o | 1 |
| the perianth segments. | |
| CONSPICUUS, large soft yellow perianth, short yellow cup, edged | |
| perianth, short yellow cup, edged | _ |
| orange scarlet | 0 |
| POETAZ | |
| LAURENS KOSTER, very hand- | |
| some variety, perianth white, | |
| orange-yellow cup | 5 |
| POETICUS, the true Poet's Narcissi (Snow-white | |
| petals and a small flattened eye or crown.) | С |
| ORNATUS, pure white perianth, | |
| broad cup, margined scarlet, very | |
| early | n |
| RECURVUS (the old Pheasant's | |
| eye) perianth white, cup deep | |
| orange-red | = |
| | J |
| ALBO PLENO ODORATO (Double | |
| White Poeticus) large, double, | |
| sweet-scented, snowy white flowers. | _ |
| Likes cool moist soil. Plant early .70 4.79 | 9 |
| MIXED NARCISSI for naturaliz- | |
| ing\$55.00 per M75 5.7 | 5 |

Paper White Narcissi

FOR INDOOR FORCING

Start them after December 1st. Planted in pebbles and water and grown fairly cool in full light, they will flower three weeks after planting.

We offer the largest size bulbs, which is the only grade from which you can expect splendid flowers.

60c per dozen; \$4.50 per 100

Iris Srinager - a fine Novelty

A beautiful variety, about 1½ feet high with pure aniline blue standards and narrow deep purple, nearly black falls. One of the earliest to bloom. An Iris of great refinement. The narrow falls give it the appearance of a Japanese Iris. We imported this Iris from Europe and have found it perfectly hardy.

Ea., 75¢; per three, 2.00; doz. 6.00

Rainbow Iris Collection

One each of 10 shades, from our fine collection; yellow, violet, white, rose, orchid, blue, yellow and plum, light and dark blue, mauve, yellow and blue. \$1.00 PREPAID

Oriental Poppy

PAPAVER ORIENTALIS (Grown in Michigan)
For August Planting

The showiest flower of the garden, large flowers in shades of orange, salmon, red, etc.

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|---|------|-------|
| APRICOT QUEEN, apricot, dark purple center | .35 | 3.50 |
| BEAUTY OF LIVERMORE, deep ox- blood red | . 50 | 5.00 |
| MAY SADLER, salmon-pink with black markings | .35 | 3.50 |
| MRS. PERRY, salmon-rose | .35 | 3.50 |
| Olympia flowers 4 inches across, double, flame scarlet overlaid gold- en salmon, earliest Oriental to | | |
| hloom | . 20 | 1.75 |

MADONNA LILIES

LILIUM CANDIDUM (Grown in Michigan)
For August-September planting

One of the most satisfactory Lilies. Several flowers to each stem, pure white. Very effective planted with Delphinium, Phlox Drummondi Isabellina and Salmon.

| LARCE Elemening sine Dulba | dozen | 100 |
|---|-------|-------|
| LARGE Flowering size Bulbs, each 25c | 2.50 | 18.00 |
| MAMMOTH Bulbs, each 30c | 3.25 | 25.00 |

Delightful Color Effects

Plant White Arabis Alpinus with Grape Hyacinths in the Rock Garden or as a border; White Arabis is also very effective as a ground cover for either yellow or red Tulips. Arabis Alpinus Roseus is good planted with either white or mauve Tulips.

Use Breeder Tulip Bacchus with Cottage Tulip Moonlight, with Anchusa Myosotidiflora as a foreground, or Nepeta Mussini as a foliage border.

Breeder Tulip, Prince of Orange is very showy when planted as a companion to Breeder Tulip Godet Parfait.

Any of the violet and purple shades of Tulips make a good foreground for White French Lilacs, using bright yellow Violas as a border for the Tulips

Plant yellow Crocus around the Purple-leaved Plum, with Pink and Cherry Tulips.

Oriental Poppies with Iris Pallida Dalmatica.

Malus Atrosanguinea with foreground of White Tulips.

Philadelphus Virginalis as a background for Delphinium.

The foliage of Aquilegia (Columbines) softens the stiffness of Iris leaves.

Persian Lilac, with Clara Butt Darwin Tulip in foreground.

Yellow Hyacinths, City of Haarlem, with Single Tulip de Wet.

Combine white and yellow flowers; i. e., yellow Alyssum with White Tulips.

Combine white and pink flowers; i. e., Gypsophila repens with Heuchera Sanguinea.

Combine white and blue flowers, using a little yellow for contrast; i. e., Delphinium with Madonna Lilies.

When using red, use cool blue to soften it; i. e., Lychnis Chalcedonica with Delphinium Belladonna.

Combine yellow and lavender; Rev. Ewbank Tulips with Inglescombe Yellow.

Combine yellow and pink; i. e., Yellow Tulips with Dicentra Spectabilis.

Combine white with gold and bronze; Gypsophila Bristol Fairy with gold and bronze Chrysanthemums.

Use white in the background to lend perspective. Use dark colors in the foreground.

THE COTTAGE GARDENS

Lansing Michigan